## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

IN RE MUNICIPAL DERIVATIVES ANTITRUST LITIGATION	) ) ) ) ) ) MDL No. 1950 ) ) Master Docket No. 08-02516 (VM) (JCF)
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:  ALL ACTIONS	) CLASS ACTION ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) )

## **NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Annette C. Rizzi of the law firm Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP hereby appears in this action as counsel for Defendants JPMorgan Chase & Co., JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Bear Stearns Companies, Inc. and Bear, Stearns & Co., Inc. and requests that all papers in this action be served upon, and all communications directed to, the undersigned at the address provided below.

Dated: New York, New York July 21, 2008 Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Annette C. Rizzi
Annette C. Rizzi

arizzi@stblaw.com

SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP

425 Lexington Avenue

New York, New York 10017-3954

(212) 455-2000

(212) 455-2502 (fax)

Counsel for Defendants JPMorgan Chase & Co., JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Bear Stearns Companies, Inc. and Bear, Stearns &

Co., Inc.